HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Section 21.004(a), Government Code, provides: "At a 2 convenient time at the commencement of each regular session of the legislature, the chief justice of the supreme court shall deliver a 3 written or oral state of the judiciary message evaluating the 4 5 accessibility of the courts to the citizens of the state and the future directions and needs of the courts of the state."; now, 6 therefore, be it 7 RESOLVED by the 85th Texas Legislature, Regular Session, That 8 the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Texas meet 9 in Joint Session in the Hall of the House of Representatives for 10 11 that purpose on Wednesday, February 1, 2017, at 11:00 a.m.; and, be 12 it further 13 RESOLVED, That the Honorable Nathan L. Hecht, Chief Justice 14 of the Supreme Court of Texas, be, and is hereby, invited to address the Regular Session of the 85th Legislature in Joint Session at that 15

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time.

Smithee

President of the Senate	Speaker of the House
I certify that H.C.R.	No. 50 was adopted by the House on
January 24, 2017, by the fo	ollowing vote: Yeas 144, Nays 0, 2
present, not voting.	
	Chief Clerk of the House
I certify that H.C.R.	No. 50 was adopted by the Senate on
January 25, 2017, by the follo	owing vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.
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